

2019 October Program Schedule

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Date	Program	Time	Cost	Location
Saturday, October 5th	Flathead Valley Junior Astronomers This club will be based at Lone Pine State Park and is open to kids ages 7 and up. Meetings will be the first Saturday of the month (regardless of how clear the sky is). The meetings will consist of a short presentation, a science experiment, and stargazing if it is not cloudy. You do not need to have a telescope to join the club.	6:00 PM - 8:00 PM	FREE	Visitor Center
Thursday, October 10th	Babies 'n' Boots Guided Hike Calling all parents of babies and young toddlers! Join a ranger and her little junior ranger on a short hike at Lone Pine. We'll get some exercise, share tips on being outdoors with babies, and enjoy meeting other parents of young children. A baby carrier and water are recommended. Hike length will depend on our littlest hikers, but will range from 0.5 to 1.5 miles in length. Space is LIMITED so please call ahead to ensure your spot on the hike.	1:00 PM - 2:30 PM	\$4/person or \$10/family	Visitor Center
Saturday, October 12th	Writing Montana Workshop w/ Dave Caserio Whether you are a professional writer or have never picked up a pen outside of school, Writing Montana gives you the opportunity to unlock your creative writing spirit in a natural setting. The workshop will begin by discussing various processes and approaches to writing, followed by a 1-mile hike about the connectivity of nature. After the hike, participants will be given thirty minutes to compose a piece of work in style of their choosing. The workshop will conclude with the opportunity to share your work. Please bring your own writing material. Space is LIMITED to 15 participants , so you must call ahead to secure your spot in this workshop.	10:00 AM - 12:30 PM	FREE	Picnic Shelter
Sunday, October 13th	Migration Matters Join us at Lone Pine for a special program all about migration. What migrates in the fall, other than birds? Why does migration happen, and on what kind of scale? What wildlife in Montana is migrating away for the winter, and what wildlife might be coming?	1:00 PM - 2:30 PM	\$4/person or \$10/family	Visitor Center

<p>Friday, October 18th</p>	<p>Educational Trunk Workshop On behalf of the Flathead Community of Resource Educators (CORE) we would like to announce our 2019 Flathead CORE Educational Trunk Workshop. This FREE workshop introduces formal and informal educators to resources in the valley. This interactive workshop is hands-on and offers new ideas for your outdoor or indoor classroom. For those who need them, six PIR/OPI credits are also available.</p> <p><u>Register by October 4th for this exciting workshop</u> at http://flatheadcore.org/. For more information, contact the Flathead Conservation District at 752-4220.</p>	<p>8:30 AM - 12:30 PM</p>	<p>FREE</p>	<p>Visitor Center</p>
<p>Friday, October 25th</p>	<p>Aurora Borealis: What is it? Have you ever seen the Northern Lights? Do you know what they are, why they happen so infrequently, and how to know when your best chances of seeing them are? Join a ranger for this evening talk about the auroras to discover the answers to these questions, learn about cultural histories surrounding the colorful display, and more!</p>	<p>6:00 PM - 7:00 PM</p>	<p>\$4/person or \$10/family</p>	<p>Visitor Center</p>
<p>Saturday, October 26th</p>	<p>Bat House Building Workshop Join Ranger Derrick for this extra-special bat house building workshop! Bring your friends or family and learn how to create a bat house for your home to help our native bat species, and watch your pesky mosquito population drop! All materials will be provided.</p> <p>This workshop is capped at <u>15 GROUPS</u>, with one bat house per group. You MUST call ahead to register your group and ensure we have enough supplies for everyone.</p>	<p>4:00 PM - 6:00 PM</p>	<p>\$20/group</p>	<p>Visitor Center</p>

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Thursday, November 7th	Flying High with the Montana Bird Lady Join us for yet another live bird program at Lone Pine State Park! Kari Gabriel, aka the Montana Bird Lady, will be giving this presentation alongside a Rough-Legged Hawk and will talk about Montana's big birds and their migration habits. Please call ahead to register for this program, as space is limited.	7:00 PM - 8:00 PM	FREE	Visitor Center
Thursday, November 21st	Owl By Myself with the Montana Bird Lady Come check out our second live bird program at Lone Pine State Park for the month! Kari Gabriel, aka the Montana Bird Lady, will be accompanied by a Northern Saw-Whet Owl for this program, and will talk about how Montana's owls can survive, and even thrive through the winter. Please call ahead to register for this program, as space is limited.	7:00 PM - 8:00 PM	FREE	Visitor Center